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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Dear Allen:

While I was on leave, copies of your letter to the Secretary of May 9th and of the resolution adopted by the IAC on May 7th were forwarded to me. I can only say that I am deeply flattered and humble in the face of the very kind views of my service which you and the IAC expressed. Would you be kind enough to pass on my sincere appreciation to the members of the IAC?

As you know, I shall be going to Madrid about the middle of September, but I look forward to seeing you and members of your staff before I depart. I shall carry with me the warmest affection for the intelligence community and admiration of your leadership of it, and I shall also there, as at any subsequent post, have a strong interest in developing the most effective intelligence service possible.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

W. Park Armstrong, Jr.

The Honorable
Allen W. Dulles,
Director of Central Intelligence,
Washington.

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